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(Kambiz B. MAKOUI et al.) Art Unit: 3307

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For: EMBOSSING SYSTEM INCLUDING)

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231
Sir:

SLEEVED ROLLS

In response to the Official Action dated February 24, 1998, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the claims:

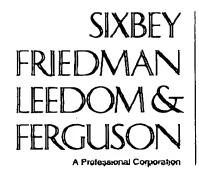
Please cancel claims 17, 23, 24, 48, 68 and 73 in their entirety without prejudice nor disclaimer of the subject set forth therein.

Please amend claims 1, 18, 20, 22, 33, 49, 53 and 69 as follows:

1. (Twice Amended) In an embossing apparatus for embossing a substantially continuous web of sheet material, an embossing roll comprising:

an elongated core having first and second ends, said elongated core being formed of a substantially rigid material;

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